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MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
(Department of Revenue)  
NOTIFICATIONS  
CUSTOMS

*New Delhi, the 19th January 1957*

**S.R.O. 264.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (8 of 1878), as in force in India and as applied to the State of Pondicherry, the Central Government hereby exempts all goods liable to the payment of customs-duties on export from India or from the State of Pondicherry from the whole of the customs-duties leviable thereon, where such goods are exported from India or from the State of Pondicherry by post.

[No. 13.]

**S.R.O. 265**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (8 of 1878), as in force in India and as applied to the State of Pondicherry, the Central Government hereby makes the following amendment in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Revenue Division), No. 56-Customs, dated the 2nd April, 1955, namely:—

In the said notification, for the words “where containers so packed are exported by post or by air”, the words “where containers so packed are exported by air” shall be substituted.

[No. 14.]

M. A. RANGASWAMY, Dy. Secy.

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ELECTION COMMISSION, INDIA  
NOTIFICATIONS

*New Delhi, the 17th January 1957*

**S.R.O. 266.**—Whereas the election of Shri Rameshwar Prasad Mahtha as a member of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Bihar from the Barhi Constituency of that Assembly was called in question by an election petition duly presented under Part VI of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), by Shri Muni Ram Gupta S/o Shri Jagoo Sao, Mohalla Barabazar, P.O., P.S. and District Hazaribagh:

And Whereas the Election Tribunal appointed by the Election Commission for the trial of the said petition dismissed it by an order dated the 29th January, 1953 and thereafter ceased to exist:

And Whereas the High Court of Judicature at Patna, on an application of the petitioner, has set aside the said order of the Tribunal:

And whereas the Election Tribunal appointed by the Election Commission, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 86 of the Representation of the People Act,

1951 (XLIII of 1951), for the further trial of the said petition has, in pursuance of the provisions contained in Section 103 of the said Act, sent a copy of its order to the Commission.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 106 of the said Act, the Election Commission hereby published the said order of the Tribunal.

IN THE COURT OF THE CHAIRMAN ELECTION TRIBUNAL, HAZARIBAGH  
ELECTION PETITION No. 310 OF 1952

Muni Ram Gupta—Appellant.

*versus*

Rameshwar Prasad Mahtha & ors.—Respondents.

*Extract copy of order No. 43, dated 26th November 1956*

Petition dated 21st November 1956 filed by the petitioner put up. Respondent No. 1 files personal hazri. The respondent No. 1 prays for costs. Heard lawyers.

In view of the fact that the contesting respondent No. 1 has vacated his seat in the Bihar Legislative Assembly the petitioner does not want to press this Election petition. As regards cost to the contesting respondent No. 1 I do not think he is entitled to any cost as the petitioner had already informed both the court and the contesting respondent No. 1 that he does not want to press his Election petition, and the trial could not begin. Moreover the respondent has already resigned from membership and he being a practising lawyer daily comes to court and has not incurred any expense on this date. It is, therefore,

ORDERED

that the Election petition be dismissed for non-prosecution without costs.

(Sd.) A. MUKHARJI, Chairman.

[No. 19/310/52-Elec.III/3175.]

*The 2nd January, 1957.*

**S.R.O. 267.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 22 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), the Election Commission hereby makes the following amendment in its notification No. 434/2/56(1), dated the 7th January, 1957, namely:—

In the table appended to the said notification, the following entries in column 2 of the Table shown against the Constituencies mentioned in column 1 therein shall be deleted:—

“36. Cachar	..	..	Senior Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner, Mizo District. Sub-divisional Officer, Lungleh. Sub-divisional Officer, Karimganj. Sub-divisional Officer, Hailakandi.
37. Autonomous districts	..	..	Sub-divisional Officer, Jawal. Sub-divisional Officer, Mokokchung. Senior Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner, Mizo District. Sub-divisional Officer, North Cachar Hills, Haflong. Extra Assistant Commissioner, Diphu.
38. Dhubri	..	..	Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner, Garo Hills.
39. Goalpara	..	..	Sub-divisional Officer, Goalpara. Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner, Barpeta. Sub-divisional Officer, Mangladai. Additional Deputy Commissioner, Goalpara.

40. Gauhati	..	..	Sub-divisional Officer, Barpeta.
41. Darrang	..	..	Additional Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong.
43. Jorhat	..	..	Sub-divisional Officer, Mangaldai. Sub-divisional Officer, Golaghat.
44. Sibsagar	..	..	Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner, North Lakhimpur. Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner, Dibrugarh."

[No. 434/2/56(1).]

*New Delhi, the 19th January 1957*

**S.R.O. 268.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission hereby fixes the hours specified in column 2 of the Table below as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken at the elections from the Parliamentary constituencies in the corresponding States and Union Territories specified in column 1 of the Table to be held in pursuance of the Government of India, Ministry of Law notification No. F.5(1)/57-Elections, dated the 19th January, 1957:—

TABLE

Name of the State or Union Territory			Hours of poll
1			2
Andhra Pradesh	..	..	8 A.M. to 12 NOON and 1 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Assam	..	..	8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Bihar	..	..	8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Bomay	..	..	8 A.M. to 5 P.M.
Kerala	..	..	7-30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Madhya Pradesh	..	..	8-30 A.M. to 4-30 P.M.
Madras	..	..	7 A.M. to 12 NOON and 1 P.M. to 4 P.M.
Mysore	..	..	8 A.M. to 1 P.M. and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Orissa	..	..	8-30 A.M. to 4-30 P.M.
Punjab	..	..	8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Rajasthan	..	..	8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Uttar Pradesh	..	..	8-30 A.M. to 4-30 P.M.
West Bengal	..	..	8 A.M. to 12 NOON and 1 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Delhi	..	..	9 A.M. to 5 P.M.
Himachal Pradesh	..	..	8 A.M. to 5 P.M.
Manipur	..	..	8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Tripura	..	..	8 A.M. to 1 P.M. and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

By Order,

[No. 471/56(1).]

A. KRISHNASWAMY AIYANGAR, Secy.

